

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
District of South Carolina

In the Matter of the Search of

(Briefly describe the property to be searched
or identify the person by name and address)3236 Screaming Eagle Rd EXT, Eastover, SC 29044
(Richland County Parcel ID number R37901-01-05)

Case No. 3:23-cr-00174

APPLICATION FOR A WARRANT BY TELEPHONE OR OTHER RELIABLE ELECTRONIC MEANS

I, a federal law enforcement officer or an attorney for the government, request a search warrant and state under penalty of perjury that I have reason to believe that on the following person or property (identify the person or describe the property to be searched and give its location):
See Attachment A to the Affidavit

located in the _____ District of _____ South Carolina _____, there is now concealed (identify the person or describe the property to be seized):
See Attachment B to the Affidavit

The basis for the search under Fed. R. Crim. P. 41(c) is (check one or more):

- ☒ evidence of a crime;
☒ contraband, fruits of crime, or other items illegally possessed;
☒ property designed for use, intended for use, or used in committing a crime;
☐ a person to be arrested or a person who is unlawfully restrained.

The search is related to a violation of:

Code Section
7 USC 2156
18 USC 371

Offense Description
Buying, Possessing, Training, Transporting, Delivering, or Receiving an Animal for
Purposes of Having the Animal Participate in an Animal Fighting Venture; and
Conspiracy to do the Same

The application is based on these facts:
See Affidavit.

- ☒ Continued on the attached sheet.
☐ Delayed notice of _____ days (give exact ending date if more than 30 days: _____) is requested under 18 U.S.C. § 3103a, the basis of which is set forth on the attached sheet.

Applicant's signature

SA Dustin McPhillips, US Department of Agriculture
Printed name and title

Attested to by the applicant in accordance with the requirements of Fed. R. Crim. P. 4.1 by
videoconference (Face Time app) (specify reliable electronic means).

Date:

September 21, 2023
Judge's signatureCity and state: Columbia, South Carolina

Paige J. Gossett, United States Magistrate Judge
Printed name and title